GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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ESTABLISHMENT OF SAINIK SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the criteria for setting up of Sainik Schools in the States;

(b) whether any proposal is under consideration of the Government to open at least one Sainik School in each State; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) Sainik Schools are established on receipt of a specific request from a State Government agreeing to provide land alongwith funds for the creation and maintenance of basic infrastructure, equipment and facilities besides scholarships for the cadets of the State.

(b) There is no such proposal under consideration of the Government.

(c) Does not arise, in view of reply given in (b) above.